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VIENNA, *April* 2.

LETTERS from Conſtantinople ſay, that a Body of 30,000 Janiſſaries have received Orders to hold themſelves in Readineſs to march; but theſe Letters do not mention for what Country. Some Perſons, however, infer, that they are deſtined to ſupport the new Confederacy in Poland.

From the Confines of POLAND, *May* 2. Beſides the Confederacy of Bar, there have ſince been formed Two others, one of which is already broken by the Ruſſians. The City of Lublin has ſuffered extremely on this Occaſion. As they ſounded the Toczin, and fired from the Windows upon the Ruſſian Troops, when they marched into that Place, the latter returned the Salute, and whole Streets were ſoon in Flames: Upwards of 300 Houſes, Five Palaces, and a religious Convent, have been deſtroyed here.

It is reported that the Corps of Obſervation, which the Porte kept on our Frontiers, is in Motion.

LONDON, *May* 13.

The following Noblemen are now toaſted in all ſenſible Companies, who are for preſerving the Public Peace of this Kingdom by lenient Meaſures, viz. The Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor, his Grace the Duke of Grafton, and the Right Honourable the Earl of Shelburne.

Several of the Firſt Peers of the Realm, had their Coaches marked with the Number 45, which they went home with from the Houſe of Peers.

May 18. A Correſpondent informs us, that an Inſtance of the Sovereign's not opening both Houſes of Parliament, on the Firſt Day of Seſſion, has not happened ſince the Reign of King George the Firſt, at which Time he was extremely ill.

Letters from Paris ſay, that they are fitting out, with great Diligence, at Antibes and Toulon, Two Men of War, Two Frigates, Four Xebecks, and a ſufficient Number of Veſſels, for tranſporting 10,000 Troops to Corſica.

It is ſtrongly reported that Seven Ships of the Line, ſome Frigates and Bomb-Tenders, will this Summer be ſent on an Expedition to the Mediterranean, under the Command of Admiral Howe.

Monday, upwards of Twenty Thouſand Small Arms were lodged in the Tower, Part belonging to the Eaſt-India Company, depoſited there for better Security.

Monday, the Reverend Mr. Lloyd received Sentence in the Court of King's-Bench, Weſtminſter, to pay a Fine of 30l. for writing a certain Poem.

Yeſterday, at Covent-Garden Market, there were a few Pottles of Green-Peas brought for Sale, which ſold at One Guinea the Pint, Winchester Meaſure.

Letters from Peterſburg inform, that the French are buying up immenſe Quantities of Salt-Petre, Gun-Powder, and Naval Stores, to be ſhipp'd in Ruſſian Bottoms for the Port of Dunkirk, Rochfort, and Breſt.

They write from Leghorn, that General Paoli has eſtabliſhed Watch-Towers along the Coaſts of Corſica, from which the Inhabitants can readily be alarmed in the Night, by Means of Sky-Rockets, of the Approaches of an Enemy.

Some private Letters from Paris mention, that the Court of Verſailles had actually received Remonſtrances from divers foreign Ambaſſadors, againſt ſending French Troops to Corſica.

Within theſe few Days the French Agents have been very buſy in buying up large Quantities of Gun-Powder, to be ſhipp'd for Breſt.

May 21. This Day, it is expected, the following Bill will receive the Royal Aſſent, by Virtue of a Commiſſion from his Majeſty.

The Bill for further continuing certain Laws to prohibit, for a limited Time, the Exportation of Corn, Grain, Meal, Malt, Flour, Bread, Biſcuit, and Starch, and alſo the Extraction of Low Wines or Spirits, from Wheat or Corn, and to allow the Importation of Wheat and Wheat-Flour, Barley-Meal and Pulſe, into this Kingdom, free of Duty, from any Part of Europe; and for allowing the Importation of Oats and Oat-Meal, Rye and Rye-Meal, into this Kingdom, Duty free, for a limited Time, and for continuing ſuch other Laws as are near expiring.

A Change in the A——— is confidently talked of, and will take Place ſoon.

Yeſterday upwards of One Thouſand Glaſs-Grinders, from Southwark, and other Parts, went in a Body to Palace-Yard, Weſtminſter, in order to petition for an Augmentation of their Wages.

Sunday Night the Horſe-Guards patrolled from London-Bridge to the King's-Bench, to keep the Peace.

May 24. The Houſe of Lords and Commons have adjourned until Thurſday the 2d of June.

It is ſaid a great Perſon in the Law has hit upon an Expedient, agreeable to the Conſtitution, which will ſettle the Affair of Mr. W——, and ſoon be put in Execution.

It is ſaid that the Public Prints are conſtantly laid before a great Law-Officer, and we hear, that tho' no Infringement is intended on the Freedom of the Preſs, the Licentiouſneſs of it will be puniſhed with the utmoſt Severity.

The late Attempt to increaſe the Military Force in Ireland has given, we are told, general Diſſatisfaction to the whole Kingdom.

'Tis ſaid that the zealous Friends of a certain popular Priſoner, intend to diſtinguiſh themſelves on the preſent Occaſion, by *not* complying with a general Mourning.——Printed Papers to this Effect were Yeſterday paſted up at Temple-Bar, and elſewhere.

Wagers of One Hundred Guineas to Ten are held at the Court-End of the Town, that Mr. Wilkes will not be diſcharged from his Confinement before the long Vacation.

May 25. It is confidently reported, that the French Miniſtry have actually aſſumed a very big Stile, in Anſwer to the Remonſtrances of his Excellency the Earl of Rochfort againſt the late Proceedings of the Court of Verſailles, relating to Corſica.

They write from Marſeilles, that a Regiment of French Infantry had juſt received Orders to be embarked there, for Garriſon Duty on the Iſle of Capraia.

We are informed that a Motion will be made on the Firſt Day of next Term, againſt a certain great Crown-Officer.

It is rumoured that our Ambaſſador at the Court of Portugal will ſpeedily be recalled.

It is ſaid there will be an Interview, very ſhortly, between the King of Denmark, the King of Pruſſia, and his Serene Highneſs the Prince Stadtholder, but the Place of Meeting we have not yet heard of.

A Letter from Hamburgh mentions, that the brave People of Corſica, after having in vain implored the Aſſiſtance and Protection of divers foreign Courts, againſt the Tyranny of the French King, had unanimouſly reſolved to ſell their Liberty and Lives together, rather than ſubmit to the arbitrary Dictates of the Grand Monarch.

They adviſe from Leghorn, that the Court of Verſailles had of late propoſed very flattering Offers to General Paoli, which the more than Roman Virtue of that celebrated Patriot had induced him to refuſe.

An Article from Genoa, in the laſt Hague Gazette, ſays, "We can no longer doubt of the Exiſtence of a Treaty concluded between this Republic and the Court of Verſailles, in Conſequence of which, a Corps of between Eight and Ten Thouſand French Troops will ſoon be tranſported to Corſica; but we dont yet know the true End or Deſign of ſuch Force being ſent: Some Perſons pretend to be aſſured, that it has been reſolved on in Concert with the Courts of Vienna and London."

Letters from Paris, by the laſt Mail, mention, that the French Weſt-India Planters had obtained a Grant for reducing the Duty on French Coffee imported from the Colonies, by which Means it was expected that they would be able to underſell both the Engliſh and Dutch at all foreign Markets.

May 27. We are credibly informed, that the Parliament will ſit by ſhort Adjournments for the major Part of the Summer.

A Correſpondent at Deal informs us, that the Dolphin and Swallow Sloop of War, ſpent the whole Southern Summer in getting through the Straits of Magellan into the South Sea where they ſuffered greatly by ſtormy and tempeſtuous Weather. They entered the South Sea the 9th of April, 1767, when the Dolphin loſt Sight of the Swallow, and has not ſince ſeen or heard of her. As the Swallow was a bad Sailer, and ill calculated for ſuch a Voyage, it is feared ſhe is loſt. They touched at Tinian, which they give a very indifferent Account of.

We hear that the Officers and Seamen on board the Dolphin, under Commodore Wallace, will receive the ſame Advantages of Promotion and Pay, as thoſe in the late Expedition under Commodore Byron.

It is ſaid that the Books and Journals kept on board the Dolphin Man of War, during her late Voyage to the South Seas, have been delivered, ſealed up, for the Inſpection of the Lords of the Admiralty.

By his Majeſty's Ship Dolphin, newly arrived from a Voyage round the World, we hear that they have diſcovered a new Iſland in the South Seas, large, fertile, and extremely populous. The Dolphin came to an Anchor in a ſafe, ſpacious, and commodious Harbour, where ſhe lay about Six Weeks. From the Behaviour of the Inhabitants, they had Reaſon to believe ſhe was the firſt and only Ship they had ever ſeen.

The Firſt Day, they came along-ſide with a Number of Canoes, in order to take Poſſeſſion of her; there were Two Diviſions, one filled with Men, and the other with Women; theſe laſt endeavoured to engage the Attention of our Sailors, by expoſing their Beauties to their View, whilſt the Men, from the Canoes, threw great Quantities of Stones, by which ſeveral Seamen were hurt;——however, as they had no Kind of Weapons, they were ſoon beat off, and a few Vollies of Small Arms obliged them to retire in great Confuſion.

The Day following a Party, well armed, were ſent on Shore with the Watering Caſks, and our People at the Topmaſt-Head diſcovered, by the Help of their Glaſſes, prodigious Numbers of the Natives flocking from all Parts towards the Watering-Place, in order to ſurround the Party; upon which a Signal was made for them to come on board, and leave the Watering Caſks. This was no ſooner done, than the Dolphin was attacked by greater Numbers than the Day preceding, which obliged them to have Recourſe to the diſagreeable Neceſſity of firing ſome great Guns at them, charged with Grape-Shot; and ſome Guns with Ball were alſo fired up the Country, which knocked down ſome of their Houſes, felled ſeveral Trees, &c. and ſtruck them with ſuch Awe, that they now looked on our People as more than human, ſince their Houſes could not ſhelter them, nor Diſtance take them out of the Reach of our Shot.

They immediately ſhewed the greateſt Deſire of being at Peace with us, and did not ſeem to reſent the killing a Number of their People, as they now appeared to be ſenſible that we had only made Uſe of thoſe dreadful Engines againſt them, when their Raſhneſs forced us to it.

We took Poſſeſſion of the Iſland in his Majeſty's Name, and called it King George's Land. It lies about 20 Degrees Southern Latitude.——During the remainder of our Stay, we continued to trade with the Natives in the moſt amicable Manner, giving them Nails, Buttons, Beads, and Trinkets, in Exchange for freſh Proviſion, which we were greatly in Want of.

The Natives are in general taller and ſtouter made than our People, and are moſtly of a Copper Colour, with black Hair; others are fairer, eſpecially the Women, ſome of whom were obſerved to be red haired.—It does not appear that they know the Uſe of any one Metal whatever.—When the Grape-Shot came among them, they dived after it, and brought up the Pieces of Lead. They ſwim like Fiſh, and can remain a long Time under Water.—They were cloathed with a kind of Stuff made of the Bark of Trees, ſome red, ſome yellow; its Texture reſembles that of coarſe thick Paper, and cannot reſiſt Wet. Beſides the large Iſland, there are ſeveral leſſer ones, which have been named Charlotte-Iſland, Glouceſter-Iſland, Boſcawen-Iſland, Keppel-Iſland, Wallace-Iſland, &c.

The Iſland (to which was given the Name of King George's Land) was governed by a Queen, to whom the Natives ſeemed to pay the utmoſt Reverence, as they obeyed not only her Words, but even her Looks and Geſtures; ſhe expreſſed the moſt lively Sorrow on our leaving the Iſland, and the laſt Thing ſhe did, was to take the Crown from her own Head, and preſent it to Captain Wallace; it has been carefully preſerved, and is to be preſented to her Majeſty of Great-Britain.

The Inhabitants of the new diſcovered Iſland are pretty much civilized, conſidering that the Arts have made but little Progreſs among them, that they are unacquainted with the Uſe of any Metals, not even of Iron. From ſome Circumſtances, we had Reaſon to imagine, that the King of the Iſland was killed in the Attack the Second Day, and the Queen was cloathed in red, which we found was the Mourning of the Country. 'Tis impoſſible to deſcribe the beautiful Proſpects we beheld in this charming Spot; the Verdure is as fine as that of England, there is great Plenty of live Stock, and it abounds with all the choiceſt Productions of the Earth.

May 30. Yeſterday Morning the Honourable Baron Beahr, Secretary for the Electorate of Hanover, having received his Inſtructions, ſet out from his Houſe in Cleveland-Row, to embark for that Electorate.

It is currently reported, that her Majeſty will, this Summer, pay a Viſit to the Court of her auguſt Relations, at Mecklenburg Strelitz, and alſo to the Court of Brunſwick.

Saturday Morning his Excellency Count du Chatelet Lamont had a long Conference with the Earl of Shelburne, at his Lordſhip's Houſe, in Berkeley-Square, on the Subject of ſome Diſpatches received from the Court of Verſailles.

An Expreſs is arrived from the Eaſt-Indies, where every Thing is ſaid to be in a perfect State of Peace and good Order, and that ſuch Steps were taken, as would, in all Probability, preſerve the Harmony.

The Commandant of the Fort of Rio Grande, in the Brazils, has been lately hanged at Liſbon, for High Treaſon, and maintaining illicit Correſpondences in that Country; and all the other Perſons concerned, after a long Impriſonment, have been baniſhed the Territories of his Portugueſe Majeſty for ever.

It is ſaid Colonel Boyd will ſet out in a few Days for Portſmouth, to embark on board a Frigate of War for his Government of Gibraltar.

According to private Letters from the Hague, a Body of Pruſſian Troops were ſoon expected to make their Appearance in Italy.

Twenty Thouſand Muſkets are commiſſioned for, at Birmingham and London, to be fabricated for the Service of France.

ST. JAMES's, *May* 27. This Day the Right Honourable Thomas Harley, Eſq; Lord Mayor of the City of London, was ſworn of his Majeſty's Privy-Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Extract of a Letter from Warſaw, May 7.

"There has been a Rencounter at Winnicza, a ſmall Town in the Palatinate of Braclaw, in the Leſſer Ruſſia, where the Ruſſians ſurpriſed a large Body of the Confederates, ſeveral of whom were killed, and others made Priſoners. Amongſt the latter is a Staroſte, who was their Chief. On this Occaſion ſeveral Papers were ſeized, which, it is ſaid, give great Lights into the Deſigns of the Malecontents. 'Tis ſaid the Court of Ruſſia, to put a ſpeedy End to theſe Troubles, is going to ſend into Poland a Corps of 20,000 Calmucks."

Extract of a Letter from Poland, May 9.

"Every Thing now wears a Warlike Appearance in this Kingdom. There has juſt happened a freſh Affair between the Ruſſians and Confederates, wherein the latter had 300 killed and wounded, and 80 made Priſoners.

"The Clergy of Warſaw have already furniſhed the Confederacy with Four Millions, and begin loudly to recommend a Croizade, to defend the Faith Sword in Hand."

A Letter from Glouceſterſhire relates the following remarkable and comical Story.——A Mountebank, and his Merry Andrew (who followed him as his Livery Servant) were traverſing this County; they fixed their Reſidence in a certain Borough-Town here, in order to make conſpicuous their Skill of Medicine, and to exhibit their uſual Merriment, to facilitate the vending of it. At the Inn where they put up, after having been there Two or Three Days, and living elegantly (which undoubtedly gave the Inn-keeper no ſmall Satisfaction) the Mountebank aſked him where was the uſual Place for a Stage: The Man underſtood him as Huſtings, the Place for Polling, and after a Pauſe, ſaid, Sir, do you mean to offer yourſelf as a Candidate for this Borough? If you do, I will give you my Vote, and ſecure you Eight or Ten more at my Peril; for really, Sir, between you and me, the old Members are not very much liked. The Mountebank being a facetious Fellow, inſtantly caught this Opportunity, and ſaid it was his full Intention, and did not doubt the Succeſs of it. The Report was induſtriouſly propagated, and reaching the Ears of the Two former Repreſentatives, they ſent a formal Card to the Mountebank, deſiring the Honour of his Company to Dinner with them, the following Day, which he declined; notwithſtanding deſired the Honour of their Company to drink Coffee with him at the Inn on that Evening; which Invitation they accepted of, and came: When, after much Circumlocution, they came to Buſineſs, and told the Mountebank, that not dreaming in the leaſt of an Oppoſition, if that in Caſe he would decline the Poll, they would make him a Preſent of One Thouſand Pounds; which he refuſed, ſaying, "That when he came there, it was the fartheſt from his Intentions; but, as he had equally as much Intereſt in another Borough, for Five Hundred Pounds more he would decline it;" which Propoſition they readily conſented to; the Money was accordingly paid, and the Mountebank quitted the Town, leaving a Letter with the Inn-keeper, and deſiring him not to open it 'til the Day after his Departure, wherein he related the whole Story, declaring he was *only* a Mountebank, that he had no ſuch Deſign, but was forced into the Scheme through the Simplicity of the Inn-keeper, concerning the *Stage*. This Story occaſions much Merriment in the Town, at the *Expence, Ridicule, and Diſgrace* of the Two *worthy, credulous* Members.

DUBLIN, *May* 14. Never was there known ſo much Havock and Deſtruction in this City, as were made laſt Tueſday and Wedneſday, by the pulling down of Houſes, gutting them of the Furniture, breaking open all Locks, Doors, Cellars, Veſſels with Malt-Drink, Spirits, Wine, &c. by which many Families have been ruined, as well as ſome Proprietors of Houſes. On this outrageous Occaſion many Thieves mingled themſelves with the Populace, and ſtole whatever they could carry away. Their Fury was not confined to Dublin, but even extended to Ringſend, Iriſhtown, and Donnybrook, where they levelled Houſes to the Ground, deſtroyed or purloined all the Furniture; and had it not been for the Activity of the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, and a Party of Soldiers, they would have demoliſhed many more. Thirty-two of theſe riotous Thieves were taken by his Lordſhip, tied on Carts, and ſent to Newgate under a Guard.

On Wedneſday they vented all their Fury on the Bagnio in Arron-Street, broke the Windows, deſtroyed the Furniture in all the Rooms, which they threw into the Street, unroofed the Houſe, and in pulling the Timbers down, the Roof ſuddenly fell in, and killed Five or Six of theſe Deſperadoes, who have ſince been dug out of the Ruins: And, what is moſt melancholy, this Houſe belonged to a Widow, who had 25l. a-Year Profit-Rent upon it, which was her only Support.

On Application to his Excellency Lord Townſhend, on Wedneſday, his Lordſhip was pleaſed to give Orders to the Regiments of Horſe and Foot in the Barracks, to attend the Lord Mayor and Magiſtrates, which they accordingly did, and patrolled the Streets that Night in different Parties, which entirely ſuppreſſed theſe Rioters; and we have the Pleaſure to inform the Public, that there has been no Diſturbances in any Part of the Town ſince that Time.

Never have been ſuch great Diſtreſſes known, as by the late Riots, many unhappy Poor helpleſs Women being cruelly abuſed, robbed of their all, under the Cenſure and Diſpleaſure of their Parents and Friends, not knowing where to get a Morſel to eat, any Houſe to ſhelter them, or where to reſt their diſtracted Heads. How pitiable is the Caſe of theſe deluded Females, moſt, or all of whom have been ſeduced, and rendered incapable of getting honeſt Bread by Wretches who have betrayed them, and robbed them of their Fame and Virtue.

Yeſterday above Forty Rioters were brought to the Tolſel for public Inſpection and Examination, when the unhappy Sufferers diſcovered ſeveral among them who were concerned in plundering and deſtroying their Property, and made Affidavits againſt them.

CHARLES-TOWN, (*S. Carolina*) *July* 19.

The laſt Advices from the Creek Country inform us, that all the Men in the Upper Towns, able to bear Arms, were gone, and going out againſt a Body of the Choctaws and Chickeſaws, which formed the largeſt Army of Indians ever remembered to have been ſeen in the Southern Diſtrict.

July 25. From the particular Attention that has, for ſome Time paſt, been paid to putting the Barracks in Order, it has been ſurmiſed by ſome, that they were preparing to receive at leaſt a Regiment of Troops. Whether theſe Surmiſes have any Foundation or not, our Advices do not authoriſe us to ſay, though they intimate, that the Government at home ſeems more determined than ever, that the Revenue-Acts, to operate in America, ſhall be enforced: And we are informed, that Orders have been received by the Commanding Officer of his Majeſty's Troops in this Province, immediately to withdraw all the Garriſons from the Out-Poſts; in Conſequence of which, his Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, we hear, has actually appointed Edward Wilkinſon, Eſq; to be Commandant of Fort Prince-George, Keehowee.

Auguſt 2. We learn that the 3 Companies of Royal Americans, in this Province, and Georgia, have received Orders to embark for the Northward; and, Saturday laſt, thoſe in the Barracks here, embarked on board the Schooner Hawke, a Tender to his Majeſty's Ship the Fowey, and will ſail the firſt fair Wind for New-York.

BOSTON, *Auguſt* 1.

We can collect no Intelligence from the Public Prints reſpecting American Affairs, but by Letters by the laſt Veſſels from London, we learn, that the Miniſtry is at preſent in a very unſettled State, ſo that there is no determining how Public Affairs will be conducted, or by whom:—That Lord Chatham is yet our Friend and Support:—That our Friends conſider the late Act impoſing Duties upon Paper, &c. as a Second Stamp-Act, and as another Attempt to gain the Point of Taxation over the Colonies:—That thoſe in Power are unwilling to ſee the Right of Parliament to tax America relinquiſhed:—That wiſe, cool, firm Meaſures, ſteadily purſued, will obtain us Redreſs; and that the Safety of theſe Colonies, and of the whole Kingdom, depended upon ſuch a Conduct:—That Reſolution and Perſeverance in Meaſures of Induſtry, Frugality, and Oeconomy, and determining not to import any Goods from Great Britain, would undoubtedly, and inevitably procure for us, all the Relief we need:—Diſtreſs among the Merchants and Manufacturers would be the certain Conſequence of ſuch a Conduct; People in general would have their Eyes opened, they would ſoon feel the fatal Effects of the late Acts of Parliament; and feeling muſt bring Conviction, and daily create new Friends with its Increaſe.

Extract of a Letter from London, May 25.

"You may poſſibly have heard ſomething of the Riots and Combinations among the lower Set of People that have lately broke out, all in Conſequence of Mr. Wilkes's Arrival here; Matters now are a little quieter, though far from being yet ſettled, and it is hard to tell what will be the Iſſue—The Parliament is far from being his Friend, in ſo much that though he is choſen one of the Members for Middleſex, and is in Confinement, he has not been once taken Notice of in the Houſe, the Members having induſtriouſly avoided mentioning his Name.

ANNAPOLIS, AUGUST 18.

At the County Court held here laſt Week, Two Negroes were convicted for a Burglary, and received Sentence of Death.

Auguſt 18, 1768.

To be ſold, at PUBLIC SALE, *on the Firſt Day of* November *next,*

A TRACT of LAND, called DUNKEILD, in *Baltimore* County, lying about Ten Miles from *Buſh-River*: The Tract contains Five Hundred Acres, and is well timbered, and of a good Soil. For Information of the Right of Title, any Perſon inclining to bid for the ſaid Tract, is referred to *John Paca*, of ſaid County. The Sale to be on the Premiſes. (11w)

To be ſold at Public Vendue, by the Subſcriber, Adminiſtratrix of Brian Philpot, *deceaſed, in* Baltimore-Town, *on the 16th Day of* November *next,*

ALL the Real Eſtate of the ſaid deceaſed, conſiſting of ſundry Lots, lying in, and near the ſaid Town; on ſome of which are conſiderable Improvements: Alſo Three Plantations, lying in the ſaid County, the One called ADDS BUDD'S PROSPECT, containing 668 Acres, about 16 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, on which are a good Dwelling-Houſe, Quarter, Barn, and other Improvements, about 60 Acres of Meadow already made, which is in Graſs, and a large Quantity more may be made: The Soil in general is well adapted for Farming, with a ſufficient Quantity of Upland cleared, and under a good Fence. The other Two Plantations are Part of NICHOLSON'S MANOR, which lies on the *Weſtern-Run*, about 18 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*: The Soil remarkable fertile and rich, being adapted either for Tobacco or Hemp; likewiſe a large Quantity of rich Bottom-Meadow may be made on each; they contain about 765 Acres. The Terms of Sale, and Authority for the ſame, may be ſhewn, at any Time, upon Application to

(3m) MARY PHILPOT, Adminiſtratrix.

ALL Perſons that are indebted to Meſſieurs *Hartleys* for Dealings with Mr. *Joſiah Beall*, deceaſed, at their Store, in *George-Town*, are deſired to come and ſettle their Accounts immediately, with Mr. *Edward Parkinſon*, who I have appointed, and fixed there, for that Purpoſe.——The Store will be continued, and carried on, under his Management, and in ſuch a Manner as will (I hope) make him eſteemed a worthy Succeſſor of our late invaluable Friend.

(6w) DAN[L]. STEPHENSON, Attorney in Fact for Meſſrs. JOHN & THOMAS HARTLEY.

THE Subſcribers hereby give Notice to the Public, that they have rented the Ship-Tavern, in *Alexandria*, and the Ferry from thence to Mr. *Addiſon's* Landing, in *Prince-George's* County, *Maryland*, where Travellers, and others, may depend on good Entertainment for themſelves and Horſes, and good Attendance will be given at the Ferry, with good Boats, and Hands: And, as a further Encouragement for Travellers, to croſs at this Ferry, we will carry over a ſingle Paſſenger for Seven-pence Half-penny, a Horſe for the like Sum, and in Proportion for every Thing elſe, though, by Act of Aſſembly, we may demand One Shilling for each.—This Ferry has been complained of for not being well attended: For the future, the Public may depend on good Boats, and ready Attendance, by their humble Servants,

(5w) JOHN RHODES, and JOHN MEDCALF.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Eaſton*, in *Frederick* County, living on *Carrel's* Manor, near *John Darnall's*, Eſq; taken up as a Stray, a ſmall bay MARE, about 12 Hands high, has a Piece bit out of her left Ear, and is branded on the near Shoulder with ſomething like HR, joined together.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

Auguſt 10, 1768.

On Friday the 26th Inſt. at Bladenſburg, *will be expoſed to Sale, and Time allowed for Payment, on giving Security,*

THE Dwelling-Houſe, Out-Houſes and Lot, with a good paled Garden, wherein *Thomas Chittam* deceaſed, long kept Public Houſe, and was much frequented by Travellers, and others: Alſo Five Acres of Land, convenient for a Paſture, a good Billiard-Table and Houſehold Furniture of all Sorts, with ſundry valuable Negroes, among whom is an excellent Cook Wench. The Sale to be continued on Saturday, if not finiſhed the Firſt Day.——The Creditors are requeſted to ſend in, before that Time, the Amount of their reſpective Claims, and alſo to attend at the Day of Sale to be ſatisfied that the Effects are ſold for their Value (as we are directed, by the Will, to expoſe them to Public Sale) and, leaſt the Purchaſers ſhould not make an Offer for the Houſes and Land, near to their Value, to conſult whether it might not be for their Intereſt to rent the Houſes for ſome Time, as it would be a very good Situation for any Perſon who would keep a good Houſe of Entertainment: Thoſe who are inclinable to rent, may attend, as we ſhall then have an Opportunity of conſulting the Creditors, as a Houſe of Entertainment for Travellers and Boarders will be much wanted in the Place; and it will be for the Intereſt of any Perſon who inclines to purchaſe, or rent, to apply ſoon, before the Cuſtom has left the Houſe.

DANIEL STEPHENSON, WALTER EVANS, } Executors.

THERE came to the Plantation of *James Macgill* near *Elk-Ridge* Church, *Anne-Arundel* County, in *July* 1767, Two Stray Steers, one of which is moſtly white, excepting his Mouth, Ears, and the lower Parts of his fore Legs, which are black; he has alſo a few black Spots on his Neck and Sides: The other is of a red Colour, with a white Face; he went away laſt *November*; and, after wintering in the Neighbourhood, returned again in *June* laſt. They are each about 3 or 4 Years old; their Ears are cut on the Under-Side, half-way through, ſo as to form a Square——They were both advertiſed laſt *October*.

The Owner, or Owners, may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Charles Allison* living at *Monockaſy*, taken up as a Stray, a light Flea-bitten grey MARE, about 12 Hands high, and not branded.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Elizabeth Smith*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſorrel MARE, about 4 Years old, has a blaze Face, one white Foot, is ſhod before, has no Brand, and is a natural Pacer.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

Annapolis, July 11, 1768.

To be ſold, by the Subſcriber, living near the Church, for ready Caſh only,

A LARGE Aſſortment of Earthen and Stone Ware, *Muſcovado* Sugar by the Hundred, or Half Hundred, fine Salt by the Buſhel, and pickled Fiſh, by Wholeſale, or Retail. WILLIAM HEWITT.

N. B. Likewiſe the Time of a Servant Woman, lately imported, capable for either Town or Country Buſineſs.——All Manner of Coopers Work done, in the neateſt and moſt expeditious Manner.

Frederick-Town, Cæcil County, *June* 7, 1768.

To be ſold, by Virtue of a Power of Attorney, from George *and* William Buck, Eſqrs. *of* Biddeford, *in* Great-Britain,

A LOT of LAND in *Frederick-Town, Cæcil* County, *Maryland*. It adjoins the River *Saſſafras*, and contains near an Acre of Ground, on which is a good Two-Story Brick Houſe, 53 by 23 Feet. On the Ground-Floor are Two Cellars; on the Second, are a very good Store-Room, well fitted, and a Counting-Houſe, with a Fire-Place. There are alſo on the Lot, a Frame-Kitchen, with a Brick Chimney, and Plank Floor, a Well of fine Water, a large Log Ware-Houſe at the Head of a Stone Wharf, at the End of which Veſſels of 200 Tons, and upwards, may load; this makes it very convenient for a Merchant, but it may ſuit any other Perſon.——Alſo a valuable Tract of Land, in *Baltimore* County, called PAY-MY-DEBTS. It lies within Six Miles of *Baltimore-Town*, and on the Great Road leading from thence to the Back Country. It contains 530 Acres. The whole is finely timbered, and upwards of 400 Acres appear to be an extreme good Soil, well adapted for Farming. Any Perſon inclined to view the Land, may apply to *William Price*, adjoining, who will ſhow it. The Title is indiſputable. For Terms of Sale, apply to JOSEPH EARLE.

To be ſold, by the Subſcribers, at their Store, at Nanjemoy, Charles *County,*

A NEAT Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable to the Seaſons.——They give Notice to the Eaſtern-Shoremen, that commonly brings Staves to *Potowmack*, that by calling at *Nanjemoy*, they will meet with a ready Sale for them, provided they bring good merchantable White Oak Staves.

(4w) KNOX & BAILLIE.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the DOLLY *and* BETSEY, *Capt.* CREAMER, *from* LONDON, *and to be ſold by the Subſcriber, in* Annapolis,

A QUANTITY of fine Jeſuits BARK-POWDER, in Bottles, containing Two and Three Ounces each. (tf) THOMAS HALL.

To be ſold by the Subſcriber, living in Calvert *County, near the Mouth of* Hall's *Creek,*

A REMARKABLE ſtrong young Negro Fellow, 20 Years of Age, who has had the Small-Pox. Any Perſon wanting to purchaſe ſaid Fellow, may apply to (4w) ALEXANDER H. SMITH.

ANNAPOLIS, *August* 11, 1768.

WHEREAS my Son, ROBERT, through Folly, bad Conduct, and Extravagance, hath run through all that I have given to him, to a very conſiderable Amount, and hath become indebted to a Number of Perſons, to the Amount of Two Hundred and Thirty Pounds, or thereabouts, by Computation, which he is entirely unable to pay; and, although I did promiſe and agree, that I would pay his ſeveral Creditors, agreeable to a Liſt of his Debts, due to them, delivered to me ſometime about the Firſt of *July* laſt, or whatever ſhould appear then to be juſtly due to them, provided they would agree, and give from under their Hands, reſpectively, that they would wait for their reſpective Claims, Two Years, and that without Intereſt; and, whereas ſome of his Creditors, have expreſsly and generouſly agreed to, and complied with this Requiſition, others have altogether refuſed to ſign on theſe Conditions, and ſome have evaſively ſigned, as I am apprehenſive, to make uſe of ſome ſecret Advantage againſt me; but, my only Motive, at this Time, being, to releaſe him from Incumbrances, and give him an Opportunity (if he will) to apply himſelf to Induſtry: This is to give Notice, to all concerned, to bring in their ſeveral Accounts, Bonds and Notes, to me, within Two Weeks from the Date hereof, that they may be ſettled, agreeable to my firſt Propoſal; and thoſe who neglect the ſame, may depend upon being excluded from the Benefit of my ſaid Propoſal; nor need any Perſon expect that I will lay myſelf under any further Obligation for him, who has not acted in the Character of a Son to me, nor will I ever pay any Debt of his contracting, (or any Ways make myſelf liable to pay any Thing on his Account) after the Firſt Day of *July* laſt, let the Conſequence to him be what it will. I expect thoſe who have Bonds, and Notes, will give me an Account, reſpectively, wherefore ſuch Note, or Bond, became due to them, as well as of the Particulars, for which Balances ariſe, on open Accounts againſt him. I would alſo notify, that I ſhall not oblige myſelf to pay any of the Creditors of my ſaid Son, if they do not all comply with the Propoſals abovementioned. WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

To be ſold, agreeable to the Laſt Will and Teſtament of Mr. James Edelen, *late of* Prince-George's *County, deceaſed,*

ONE Half Part of a very good GRIST-MILL, in good Repair, has been built about Five Years, ſituate within Half a Mile of *Piſcataway*, and has Plenty of Cuſtom. There is Ten Acres of Land belonging to the whole, which would make a good Meadow. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may be ſhewn the Premiſes, and know the Price. Several Years Credit will be given, on paying Intereſt, and giving Security, if required, by applying to the Subſcriber near *Piſcataway*.

(w4) EDWARD EDELEN, jun. Executor.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the Subſcriber, a black GELDING, between 14 and 15 Hands high, paces, trots, and gallops very hard, no perceivable Brand, has a large white Spot in his Forehead, a ſmall white Spot on his Buttock, near the Butt of his Tail, ſhod before, and when rode in Company, is very apt to rear upon his hind Feet.——Whoever takes up the ſaid Gelding, and brings him to the Subſcriber, if taken Thirty Miles from home, Twenty Shillings Reward, and in Proportion, farther or nearer, with reaſonable Charges, paid by

(w3) WAIT STILL SINGELLTON CHURCH.

Piſcataway, July 27, 1768.

THE Sloop RANGER, a *Maryland* free Bottom, will be at *Philadelphia* about the 15th of next Month, where ſhe will take in Goods for *Patowmack* River, or any Part of *Maryland*, provided a ſuitable Freight offers.——As ſhe will remain but a ſhort Time there, Gentlemen may ſend their Orders to their Correſpondents ſoon; and thoſe who have not any ſettled Correſpondence in that Place, by ſending their Orders to the Subſcriber, may depend on their being carefully executed.——This Veſſel will be kept conſtantly going between *Philadelphia* and *Patowmack* River, if adequate Freight do offer.

(w3) JAMES BROWN.

*** For Sale, a few Packages of Goods, conſiſting of *Iriſh* Linens, Cottons, Bearſkins, Duffles, Kerſeys, Half-Thicks, Plaiding, and Saddlery, which will be ſold altogether, or by the Package, on very moderate Terms.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Subſcriber, that cannot conveniently pay, at this Time, are requeſted to come and ſettle the ſame by Note; and as there is a general Complaint, for Want of Caſh, I will take in Pay, Corn, or Oats, at the Market Prices, or any Thing that will be uſeful in my Family. Thoſe that will not comply with this reaſonable Requeſt, cannot take it amiſs, if I ſhould take other Methods to collect my Debts, which will be very diſagreeable to

Their humble Servant, JOHN M'DONALL.

WHEREAS by a late Act of Aſſembly, for regulating Ordinary-Keepers, which will take Place in a few Days, I hope my old Friends and Cuſtomers will not take it amiſs, if they do not meet with that Indulgence they formerly have done, with Regard to Credit; but it ſhall be the conſtant Study of their humble Servant to keep the beſt of Entertainment for themſelves and Horſes, agreeable to the ſaid Act.

JOHN M'DONALL.

ALL Perſons indebted to Dr. *John Hamilton*, deceaſed, on his own proper Account, are deſired to ſettle their Accounts immediately; and ſuch who have Claims againſt him, are requeſted to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid, by

(6w) JOHN H. SMITH, Executor.

ANNAPOLIS, *July* 26, 1768.

WANTED,

TWO good WORKMEN in the Goldſmith Way.——Such will meet with Encouragement, by applying to

(4w) THOMAS SPARROW.

*** None but good Workmen need apply.

Leonard-Town, St. Mary's County, *July* 25, 1768.

ON Wedneſday the Seventh of *September* next, will be run for, over the Courſe near this Town, a Subſcription PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, free for any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding. Four Years old, to carry Eight Stone, Five Years old, Eight Stone Ten Pounds, Six Years old, Nine Stone Six Pounds, and aged, Ten Stone. And, on the Day following, will be run for, on the ſame Terms, the Entrance-Money, with what elſe ſhall be made up; the winning Horſe the preceding Day excepted.

To run for the Purſes, agreeable to the Articles for the King's Plate. To ſtart preciſely at Two o'Clock each Day, and enter with *Timothy Bowes* Two Days before the Race; when each Party muſt name and produce a Certificate of the Age of what he propoſes to ſtart. Each Jockey to appear with a neat Waiſtcoat, Half-Boots, and Cap: The Horſe winning Two Heats, to be entitled to the Purſe. To pay, if a Subſcriber of Three Pounds, One Pound Entrance, if under Three Pounds, Thirty Shillings, if a Non-Subſcriber, Five Pounds, and double at the Poſt. Judges will be appointed to determine all Diſputes, and the Money to be paid as ſoon as the Judges ſhall pronounce their Deciſion.

St. Mary's County, *July* 22, 1768.

BROKE Jail, on Tueſday Night laſt, the Three following Negroes, *viz.*

KINGSTON, a thick well-ſet Fellow, 5 Feet 2 Inches high: Had on, an old Oſnabrig Shirt, and an old Cotton Jacket and Breeches.

JACOB, a ſlim-made Fellow, 5 Feet 7 Inches high: Had on, an old Oſnabrig Shirt, old Cotton Jacket and Breeches.

BOB, a likely ſtout young Fellow, Country-born, 5 Feet 8¼ Inches high: Had on, Two Cotton Jackets, One Pair Cotton Breeches, an old Oſnabrig Shirt, and a new Felt Hat. The above Negroes came from *Virginia* about Five Weeks ago; they gave themſelves different Names, and probably now will alter their Names again.——It is imagined they have made up the Bay, or attempting to travel by Land to *Frederick-Town*, or *Baltimore* County.——Whoever takes up ſaid Negroes, or ſecures them, ſo as I may have them again, ſhall have a Reward of Three Pounds Currency, and reaſonable Charges paid, if brought home.

ROBERT WATTS, Sheriff.

Maryland, June 20, 1768.

RAN away laſt Night, from *Hockley* Forge, on the Head of *Patapſco*, Two Convict Servant Men, *viz.*

SAMUEL DAVENANT, a Gardener by Trade, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, ſpeaks ſhort, is well-ſet, of a good Complexion, mark'd with the Small-Pox, has black Eyes, and very dark Hair, tolerable long, which he wears tied: Had on, and took with him, a brown Cloth Jacket, and Breeches, Felt Hat, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, One old Check ditto, Holland ditto, a Pair of old blue and white Yarn Stockings, Crocus Trowſers, and Country-made Shoes.

SAMUEL FLOOD, a Labourer, about 25 Years of Age, and near the ſame Height as the other, of a brown Complexion, has a ſmooth Face, dark Eyes, and ſhort dark ſtraight Hair, a down Look, ſpeaks low, and very plain: Had on, when he went away, an old Felt Hat, old brown Kerſey Jacket, Oſnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trowſers, and a Pair of *Engliſh* Shoes, almoſt new.

Whoever brings home ſaid Servants, ſhall receive a Reward of Ten Pounds for both, or Five Pounds for either. (6w) R. CROXALL.

N. B. They had Collars and Leg-Irons on, when they went away. The Gardener ſometimes went by the Name of *Samuel Dryton*, and may probably paſs by that Name.

Kent-Iſland, July 5, 1768.

THE Subſcriber having declined keeping Ferry, from his Houſe to *Annapolis*, he takes this Method of returning his ſincere Thanks to thoſe who have obliged him with their Favours; and begs Leave to acquaint the Public, that the Ferry is now kept at *Broad-Creek*, to where the Boats and Hands are removed, and the uſual Attendance, by them, will be given.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

Broad-Creek, July 5, 1768.

THE Subſcriber informs the Public, that ſhe has opened a Houſe of Entertainment, at *Broad-Creek*, where ſhe ſometime ago lived, and to where the Ferry (that was lately kept from Mr. *James Hutchings*'s to *Annapolis*) is now removed: She will be much obliged to the Public for their Cuſtom and Favours, as ſhe will make it her peculiar Study to pleaſe and give Satisfaction to her Cuſtomers, and the beſt Attendance will be given with the Ferry-Boats, both here, and at *Annapolis*, for Paſſengers. (w4) SARAH FLYNN.

*** The Ferrymen are to be ſpoke with, at Mr. *James M'Mordie*'s, the Sign of the Blue-Ball, near the Dock.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of my late Huſband, *Charles Minſkie*, late of the City of *Annapolis*, deceaſed, are deſired to pay their reſpective Balances, due to the ſaid Eſtate, in order to enable the Subſcriber to pay the ſeveral Creditors, as far as the ſaid Eſtate will reach.

MARY ANN MINSKIE, Executrix.

N. B. The ſaid Executrix, having Two excellent Workmen, carries on the Staymakers Buſineſs in all its Branches, to as great Perfection, and in as neat Faſhions, as has been done in this Place: She makes all Sorts of Womens Apparel, alſo Gowns, Cloaks, Slips, and quilts Womens Petticoats to a very great Nicety: As alſo makes Mens wearing Apparel, both coarſe and fine: She would be very much obliged, and eſteem it as a Favour, that Ladies and Gentlemen would pleaſe to make Trial of their humble Servant, who ſhould be proud to ſerve and oblige them, in any of the above Branches. M. A. MINSKIE.

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

A YOUNG Gentleman, lately arrived from *England*, who has been accuſtomed to Buſineſs; and will ſerve as a Clerk, upon moderate Terms. Apply to *Alexander Lawſon*, near *Baltimore-Town*.

WHEREAS one *Francis Boardman*, Son of *Samuel Boardman*, of *Gorton*, in the County of *Lancaſter*, in *England*, came over to this Province, ſeveral Years ago, married here, and had ſeveral Children. If any of his Iſſue be living, on Application to the Subſcriber, living in *St. Mary's* County, they will be informed of a very conſiderable Eſtate, in *England*, both Real and Perſonal, they are Heirs to.

(6w) JOHN EDEN.

Annapolis, July 19, 1768.

MARIA HUME, MILLINER,

From LONDON,

Is juſt arrived in Town, at Mrs. HOWARD's, *near the* PRINTING-OFFICE,

WHERE ſhe makes all Sorts of MILLINERY WORK.——Ladies Head Dreſſes in the neweſt Faſhion, Hats, Bonnets, Cloaks, *&c.* Slips and Frocks, for young Ladies, made in the neweſt Manner.——She alſo waſhes Laces, Blond Lace and Gauzes, to look equal to new; likewiſe Silk Stockings, *&c.*

Baltimore County, *July* 23, 1768.

RAN away laſt Night, from the Subſcriber, living at *My Lady's Manor*, near the Chapel, a Convict Servant Man, named WILLIAM OAK, of a middle Stature, and wears his own ſhort brown Hair, which curls; he is a pretty good Scholar, a cunning artful Fellow, and will endeavour to forge a Paſs, has lately had a Hurt over his left Eye, which is now ſore, and has an old Scar on his left Ancle: Had on, when he went away, a large Iron Collar, with Two Rivets in each End, an old Felt Hat, a lappelled chequer'd Saddle-Cloth Jacket, a Country Linen Shirt, a Pair of Hempen-Roll Trowſers, a Pair of old Stockings, but no Shoes.——It is ſuppoſed he will endeavour to get his Collar off, before he travels, alſo furniſh himſelf with other Cloaths, and then either ſteal a Horſe to go off, or get a Reaping-hook, and paſs for a Reaper, as he is a very good one.——Whoever takes up, and ſecures ſaid Servant, ſo as his Maſter may have him again, ſhall receive, if taken within 20 Miles, Three Pounds, and if 40 Miles, Five Pounds, with reaſonable Charges, paid by (w4) THOMAS TALBOTT.

BASIL FRANCIS,

WATCHMAKER, *from* LONDON,

Near the MARKET, *in* BALTIMORE-TOWN,

MAKES and ſells all kinds of WATCHES: The Succeſs he hath had, to give Satisfaction to thoſe Gentlemen that have already employed him to repair their Watches, gives him great Hopes of the Continuance of their Favours; and it being his chiefeſt Study, as well as Intereſt, to merit the Approbation of the Public, he flatters himſelf, he ſhall ſtill meet with Encouragement, as he doth engage, that Watches repaired by him, ſhall perform their Office for the Space of Six Years, and keeps them in Order during that Time, (Accidents excepted) at the ſmall Expence of Cleaning annually; and, as it is the general Complaint, that high Charges are made by moſt of the Calling, and being deſirous to do all in his Power to render Content to his Employers, he is determined to work at as low Rates as poſſible, and will let them know the Charge of any Piece of Work, before he performs it, if required; by which Method, they are not only enabled to know whether they chuſe to go to the Expence, or not; but alſo be ſure of meeting with no Impoſition. (tf)

Virginia, June 20, 1768.

THE Earl of *Tankerville*'s Concurrence being now had, and in the Country, to the Purchaſes I ſometime ago made of his Agents, in *Virginia*, ſo that Deeds can be had to the Part thereof, in *Frederick* County, *Maryland*, I propoſed again to diſpoſe off, which prevented its being done when formerly advertiſed, I now give Notice to all Perſons, inclinable to purchaſe the Whole, or any Part thereof, that it is now on Sale, and can be completed, for which Purpoſe I will attend at the next *Auguſt Frederick* County Court, (which begins on the Third Tueſday in *Auguſt*) at the Houſe of Mr. *Charleton*, ready to treat with any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe it. It is a Tract of choice good Land, remarkably ſuitable for Farming and Plantation Buſineſs, and very commodiouſly ſituate for Trade, being not far from *Frederick-Town*, and the Advantage of Navigation on *Potowmack* River, the uſual Landing the Boats now carry from, being upon the Land. It is well watered, and has great Quantities of Meadow Ground interſperſed amongſt it. It contains between Six and Seven Thouſand Acres, and is uſually known by the Name of COLVILL's TRACT, called MERRY-LAND. Any Perſon, who, in the Interim, wants to view or treat for it, may apply to Meſſrs. *John Carrey*, Merchant, in *Frederick-Town*, or *Frances Hamilton*, at *Keep-Triſte* Furnace, who have Power and Directions to treat for it, or to the Subſcriber himſelf, at *Occoquan* Forges. It being moſtly fine tendable Land, would make a good Settlement for a Number of People wanting to remove and ſeat themſelves in one Neighbourhood. If there was more of them than the Tract could commodiouſly ſerve, the Subſcriber has 16000 Acres of Land, equally good, on the oppoſite Side of *Potowmack*, which will be ſoon ſettled out: It is almoſt adjoining the above Tract, excepting the Separation by the River, on which they might ſeat themſelves contiguous to one another. Should not Purchaſers offer ſoon for it, to the Subſcriber's Liking, it will be leaſed out to good Farmers, there having been many Applications made for it, in that Way, and which can be let out at a very great Rent. Thoſe who formerly applied to purchaſe, and ſtill incline to do ſo, on giving Notice, in Time, will have Preference given them.

(3m) JOHN SEMPLE.

July 26, 1768.

STRAYED away, the 9th Inſtant, from the Subſcriber, at *Elk-Ridge* Landing, a black MARE, about 14¼ Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder, thus, ⓘ, Three Years old this Spring, paces naturally, has ſeveral Scars upon her Legs and Thighs, which appear whitiſh, and ſome of her Feet white, ſhe was alſo rung, to prevent her taking Horſe.——Whoever takes up the ſaid Mare, and delivers her to the Owner, ſhall receive Fifty Shillings Reward, paid by

(w6) JAMES FRENCH.

*** She had one Shoe upon one of her fore Feet.

EIGHT POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at *Elk-Ridge* Landing, on Monday last, Three Convict Servants, *viz.*

DAVID JOHNSON, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and 28 Years of Age: Had on, when he went away, a green Frieze Jacket, Check Shirt, old white Cloth Breeches, old Shoes and Stockings, and a Caſtor Hat half worn; he is very remarkable, his left Hand being off at the Wriſt.

WILLIAM SIMMONS, a Barber by Trade, fair Complexion wears his own Hair, is about 5 Feet 9 Inches high: Had on, when he went away, a new Check Shirt, a brown Bearſkin Surtout Coat, bound all round, old Leather Breeches, old Shoes and Stockings, a Pair of Plated Silver Buckles, old Caſtor Hat.

JAMES CROSBY, an *Iriſh* Lad, about 21 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, very fair Complexion, and a little Croſs-eyed: Had on, and took with him, a blue Surtout Coat, Check Shirt, long Trowſers, very black, and much tar'd, old Shoes, no Buckles, and a new Caſtor Hat.——It is ſuppoſed they will paſs for Sailors, and make for *Cheſter*, in *Pennſylvania*: They were ſeen near *Baltimore-Town*, on Tueſday laſt.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the above Servants, ſo that their Maſter may have them again, ſhall be entitled to the above Reward, or in Proportion for either of them, with reaſonable Charges, if brought home, paid by (w7) WILLIAM DUVALL.

July 15, 1768.

FOUR POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away laſt Night, from the Subſcriber, living in *Prince-George*'s County, the following Convict Servants, *viz.*

JAMES COORT, (*alias* COURT) born in the County of *Kent*, in *England*, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, and about 28 Years of Age, has an oval Face, and ſhort Hair, which is dark, his Noſe has a Caſt to one Side, and his right Foot turns in more than his left, ſpeaks the *Kentiſh* Dialect: Had on, and took with him, a blue Fearnought Jacket, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, Oſnabrig Trowſers, an old Cloth Coat, and Breeches of a *Spaniſh* brown Colour, and the Coat has been mended in the Lining, with Pompadour coloured Shalloon, a flowered cut Velvet Jacket, Yarn Stockings, half worn Shoes, and a new *Carolina* Felt Hat.

ISABELLA WATSON, of a fair Complexion, ſandy coloured Hair, has a round Face, pitted with the Small-Pox, of a middle Stature, but thick, and about 24 Years of Age: Had on, and took with her, an Oſnabrig Shift, and a white Linen ditto, a ſtriped Country Cloth Petticoat, a new blue Shalloon ditto, and a new Oſnabrig ditto, a new Purple Sprig Stamp'd Cotton Gown, a blue and white ſhort Gown, old Stays, and a black Silk Bonnet, a Silk Handkerchief, Two red ſtamp'd Linen ditto, white Yarn Stockings, and a Pair of Country-made Pumps, and a ſmall Looking-Glaſs, with ſundry other Things.——The above Servants came into the Country in the Year 1764, in the *Neptune*, Capt. *Somerville*.——Whoever takes up ſaid Servants, and brings them to their Maſter, or ſecures them in any Jail, and gives Notice thereof, ſo as he may hear of them ſoon after their Committment, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward for each, and if taken and brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by (4w) JOHN F. A. PRIGGS.

Upper-Marlborough, Maryland, June 6, 1768.

THE Subſcriber's State of Health not permitting him to continue the Buſineſs of Public-Houſe-keeping, he will let, for a Term of Years, the Houſe he now lives in, with many Conveniencies about it. The Dwelling-Houſe has Four handſome Rooms, and a large Paſſage on the lower, and Five Rooms and a Paſſage on the upper Floor; the Garden is ſpacious and under an exceeding good Incloſure. There are belonging to the Tenement, a Kitchen, Stable, Milk, Meat, Corn, Chaiſe, and Store-Houſes, all in good Order, a large Yard adjoining, under Poſts and Rails, with a good Well in it, and a Billiard-Room and Table. The many Advantages attending the Situation of the above, being well known, make it leſs neceſſary to be particular. There will be let, with the above, Five Acres of exceeding fine Meadow, under a good Incloſure of Poſts and Rails, and a Paſture. If the Subſcriber meets not with an agreeable Offer in a ſhort Time, he will be willing to take in a Partner, well qualified to keep a Tavern, whilſt he carries on his other Buſineſs at his Mill, where he intends to reſide. (tf) JOHN SCOTT.

MARK HOWARD,

HOSIER, *from* DUBLIN,

HAS opened a Manufactory in *Baltimore-Town*, at the Sign of the *Blue Stocking*, in *Gay-Street*, near the Market-Houſe, where he makes and ſells all Sorts of Stockings, Breeches Patterns, Gloves, Mitts, Caps, and all Sorts of Goods in the Hoſiery Way. As he manufactures all his own Goods, on the beſt Terms, he is enabled, and determined, to ſell them at the moſt reaſonable Rates: And, as he is a new Beginner, he hopes the Quality of his Goods will merit Encouragement from thoſe who pleaſe to employ him.

*** He will alſo take in Work, which he engages to perform in the beſt Manner, and to return with the utmoſt Diſpatch. He likewiſe buys Cotton, Thread, and Worſted, provided they are good in their kind.

To be SOLD, *or* LET,

TWO LOTS of LAND in the Center of *Frederick-Town*, *Cecil* County, *Maryland*: On them is a very good Three Story Houſe 45 by 20 Feet; the Firſt or Ground Story is of Brick and Stone, and in it is an excellent Kitchen and dry Cellar; the Second has Two very good Rooms, with Fire Places, a Ten Feet Paſſage and Stair-Caſe leading to the Third Story, on which is Three very genteel Rooms, Two of them have Fire-Places.—One on the Second Floor is neatly papered, the other, at preſent, is fitted with Shelves, *&c.* for a Store or Shop.—This Houſe has a delightful healthy Situation, with a pleaſant Proſpect of *Saſſafraſs* River, and adjoining to *George-Town*.—There is alſo on ſaid Lots, a Frame Houſe, 25 by 20 Feet, a good Stable and Garden, well paled in.—To make it more convenient to a Purchaſer or Tenant, a Lot well fenced with Cedar Poſts and Plank, containing about an Acre of Land, capable of producing fine Hay, and a few Acres of Land for Paſture may be had.——As this Tenement has been for many Years a well accuſtomed Store and Tavern, its Situation for either renders it very valuable, and from its Nearneſs to *Saſſafraſs* Ferry, which is a great Thoroughfare, a Perſon properly qualified for the Tavern or Innkeeping Buſineſs, might be of Service to the Public and himſelf.

For Terms apply to M. EARLE, near J. M'DUFF's, or JOSEPH EARLE, at *Frederick-Town*. (tf)

June 20, 1768.

PURSUANT to an Act of Aſſembly of this Province, on Tueſday the 11th of *October* next, will be ſold, on the Premiſes, by Way of Vendue, to the higheſt Bidder, altogether, or in Parcels, as may ſuit the Purchaſers, THREE THOUSAND ACRES of LAND, lying on *Broad-Creek*, in *Somerſet* and *Worceſter* Counties, near the Iron-Works of Meſſieurs LIGHTFOOT and Company. There are Mills on the Land, with other Improvements, and Plenty of Timber, chiefly Pine. A Plat of the Whole, ſpecifying the Improvements, together with a Copy of Part of the above-mentioned Act, expreſſing the Terms of Sale more at large, and the Commiſſioners Powers, may be ſeen at the Houſe of JAMES WINDSOR, on, or near the Premiſes, any Time between the Firſt of *September* and the Day of Sale. Conveyances will be executed immediately after the Sale, and Twelve Months Credit for the Money allowed, if deſired, the Purchaſer or Purchaſers giving Bond, on Intereſt, with ſuch Security as ſhall be approved of, by the Commiſſioners.

(w8) WILLIAM ALLEN, LEVIN GALE, HENRY STEELE.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near the Mouth of *Magothy* River, in *Anne-Arundel* County, on the 13th of *June*, a Convict Servant Man, named JAMES GROVES, about 30 Years of Age, thin Viſage, dark Complexion, black Hair, tied behind, and one of his Legs crooked: Had on, when he went away, a Fearnothing Jacket, an Oſnabrig Shirt, a Pair of Crocus Trowſers, and Negro Shoes.

Whoever takes up ſaid Servant, and brings him home, ſhall have FORTY SHILLINGS Reward, paid by (tf) ANNE PETTIBONE.

Elk-Ridge Furnace, *May* 30, 1768.

TWELVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away, laſt Night, from the Subſcriber, Two Convict Servant Men, *viz.*

JAMES RAIN, a Maſon by Trade, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, has ſhort black Hair, large Eye-Brows, a frowning Down-look, large Legs, and talks in the Weſt-Country Dialect: He took with him a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, a Pair of black and white Yarn Stockings, and a new Felt Hat.

THOMAS HUGHS, a Carpenter by Trade, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has brown Hair, and a pretty agreeable Way of Addreſs, but often looks down, and has a large Noſe, riſing at the End; he has lately had a ſore Leg, which is yet of a dark red Colour about the Small: Had on, when he went away, a blue Surtout Coat, with Braſs Buttons, and a Belt to buckle round him, a red Pluſh Jacket, ſtained with black, on one Side of the Breaſt, with red Mohair Buttons, one Check Shirt, one white ditto, and a Pair of old black knit Breeches, a Caſtor Hat, bound round the Brim, with black Silk Ferrit, and a blue and white ſpotted Handkerchief. It is alſo ſuppoſed they have taken with them, a black Cloth Coat, and one dark brown ditto, with green Lining, a Pair of *German* Serge Breeches, a red Pluſh Jacket, Two white Shirts, a Pair of ſtriped Holland Trowſers, a black *Barcelona* Silk Handkerchief, a turned broad Cloth Coat, with white Lining, and Braſs Buttons, with ſundry other Things.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Runaways, and brings them home, ſhall have, if taken 10 Miles from ſaid Furnace, Thirty Shillings; if 20 Miles, Forty Shillings; if 40 Miles, Three Pounds; and, if out of the Province, Six Pounds Reward, for each, (including what the Law allows) paid by

(3w) CALEB DORSEY.

N. B. Whoever takes up ſaid Runaways, are deſired to take great Care of them, for they are great Villains, and will try, if poſſible, to eſcape.

London-Town, June 22, 1768.

RAN away laſt Night, from the Subſcriber, a Convict Servant Man, named MICHAEL CONAWAY, an *Iriſhman*, and ſpeaks much in that Dialect: He is a little ſhort Fellow, about 5 Feet high, has black curled Hair, and had on, when he went away, a white Fearnought Jacket, with broad white Metal Buttons, a Cotton Under-Jacket, a Pair of Cotton Breeches, much wore and tattered, tho' mended in ſeveral Places, an old ſlouch'd Felt Hat, Oſnabrig Shirt, and a Pair of tolerable good Negro Shoes.

Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid Servant, ſhall receive a Reward of TWENTY SHILLINGS; and, if brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM BROWN.

*** He has with him an old ruſty Bayonet, which he pulled out of his Boſom, when a Negro Fellow attempted to bring him home.

To be LET, on CHARTER, to any of the Weſt-India *Iſlands, or to be ſold,*

THE SCHOONER

MARTHA,

Burthen Eighty TONS.

For Terms, apply to Captain JAMES READE, at ROCK-HALL, Meſſrs. JA^{s}. DICK and STEWART, in *Annapolis*, or to the Subſcriber, in KENT County. ROBERT READE.

WILLIAM KNAPP,

WATCH and CLOCK-MAKER,

IMPRESSED with a grateful Senſe of the Favours he has received from the Gentlemen of this, and the neighbouring Provinces, takes this Method of returning his ſincere Thanks for the Countenance and Encouragement he has hitherto been honoured with; and, as he is ſollicitous to merit a Continuance of their Approbation, he has lately procured, at a very conſiderable Expence, a complete Apparatus, for the more effectual Execution of the different Branches in his Buſineſs, without which it is impracticable to give that Satisfaction he is ſtudious to render, and he is determined, by unremitting Aſſiduity, and the utmoſt Exertion of his Abilities, to juſtify and ſecure the Public Confidence.

It is with Concern he finds himſelf reduced to the diſagreeable Neceſſity of cautioning the Public againſt the *continued Botcheries* practiſed by *many Pretenders* to the Buſineſs, whoſe Inabilities are too frequently experienced by the Employer, as heavy Charges inevitably follow, to rectify the *Errors* of thoſe *Tinkering Performers*, and the Mechaniſm of the Piece is often deſtroyed, beyond the Power of Art to repair.

He has, of his *own Make*, GOLD, SILVER, and PINCHBECK WATCHES, of the beſt and neweſt Conſtruction, finiſhed in the genteeleſt Taſte, ſome with Seconds in the Center, commonly called Stop-Watches, Eight-day and Alarum Clocks: The Qualities and Prices of all which are contrived to prevent Importation, as he flatters himſelf thoſe Gentlemen, who have already dealt with him, can teſtify, and ſuch as ſhall pleaſe to honour him with their Commands, will agreeably experience: The commendable Ardour which has been happily manifeſted for the *Promotion* of *American* Manufactures, induces him to hope for the Encouragement of all who are inclined to protect and countenance ſocial Induſtry amongſt us; and he doubts not but they will clearly perceive the Advantages of dealing with the Maker on the Spot, where they can previouſly examine what they purchaſe, and who will engage to keep his Work in Repair, at the trifling Charge of 3*s.* 6*d.* Annually (general Accidents excepted) He will receive and complete, with the greateſt Expedition, Orders either for Watches or Clocks, made on any Principle, and agreeable to any Faſhion, and will allow, in Exchange, the beſt Prices for old Watches and Clocks.

He will wait on any Gentleman in, or near this City, to repair their Clocks.

N. B. To be ſold, juſt imported, Six PRINTS, elegantly framed and glazed, being Views of *London*, deſigned and engraved by the moſt eminent Maſters in *England*.——They are very proper Furniture for a Parlour, or Study. W. K.

Queen-Anne's County, *May* 25, 1768.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on the 25th of *December* laſt, a Country-born Negro Man, named WILL, a well ſet black Fellow, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high. He croſſed the Bay to Mr. *Samuel Chew*'s Plantation, on *Herring-Bay*, where I do ſuppoſe he is harboured by a Negro Wench of Mr. *Chew*'s, he calls his Wife. Whoever takes up ſaid Negro, and ſecures him in *Anne-Arundel* County Jail, ſhall have a Reward of Four Pounds Ten Shillings, if brought home to his Maſter, living near *Queen's-Town*, in the above County, Five Pounds, paid by (tf) FRANCIS HALL.

WANTED,

A PERSON well acquainted with the Buſineſs of a COUNTY CLERK's OFFICE. Such a one, on Application to the Printer, will be duly encouraged.

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